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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED DECEMBER 27, 2005

Sir:

The Office Action mailed December 27, 2005 established a three-month shortened statutory time period to respond. As

such, Applicant submits that this Amendment and Response is timely filed, and respectfully requests entry of all amendments set forth herein and consideration of the remarks provided below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3, the Remarks begin on page 6, and the Conclusion begins on page 16 of this paper.

Appendix provided after this Amendment that includes two submissions, which include the following:

- Power of Attorney and Correspondence Address
   Indication Form
- Statement Under CFR 3.73(b)